



Brookland Federation Brookland Junior School Newsletter



'Be kind, be respectful, be the best that you can be'

13.02.2026

The Brookland Headteacher's Awards

Well done to all the children who were awarded a Headteacher's Award this week!

	Being Kind	Being Respectful/Rights Respecting Award	Being the best that you can be Award	The Risk Taker Award
Year 3	Abigail & Toprak	Kyle & Billy	Ayla & Aileen	Norah & Tay
Year 4	Ali & Amber	Evie-Rose & Hadley	Eva & Hakan	Lina, Annie & Adele
Year 5	Ruzgar & Kaj	George & Zachias	Baran & Mason	Juliette & Anisa
Year 6	Zoe & Nicholas	Jacob & Grace	Dylan & Italia	Elly & Keira

February half term

A reminder that school will be closed for February half term from Monday 16th February to Friday 20th February. Children return to school on Monday 23rd February. We hope all our families enjoy the break.

Thank you

A personal thank you from me to all the amazing children and staff across the Federation who all went to great efforts to ensure the last few days in my 30s went out with a bang. Thank you for all my birthday messages, wishes, cards and gifts which were topped off by the most amazing assembly today. Thank you also to parents and carers for your kind wishes, I have felt truly spoilt.

Year 5 PGL (2027) meeting

We would like to invite Year 5 parents to a meeting regarding PGL 2027 on Tuesday 3rd March at 6pm in the school hall. During this meeting we will give you information regarding the residential trip your child will have the opportunity to attend in July 2027.

Athlete Visit - Friday 13th February

WOW, what a brilliant day we have had across the Federation! Thank you so much to the amazing Jodie Williams, who has inspired so many of our children. The children participated in a circuit with Jodie and enjoyed her assembly where she spoke more about her journey. Thank you so much to Miss Church and Mr Taylor for organising a fantastic event for all the children. The online donation is open for another week for children to pay in their sponsorship money. Children who are entitled to one of the merchandise depending on how much they have raised, will receive their gift after half term. So far as a Federation, the children have raised £3415 online plus some of the money handed in to school today - this is beyond amazing, thank you to you all!

Girls' Football Match

Our girls football team had their first long awaited fixture this Monday with a short trip to Fairfields School. The girls battled really hard in some tricky conditions. We went down 2-0 early in the game but fought back with two of our on goals either side of half-time. Unfortunately due to a late goal we lost 3-2 in what was a very hard fought game. Well done to Lexie, Keira, Ella-Louise, Macie-Ann, Francesca, Ava, Almira and Alayah and a huge thank you to Mr Crowe for coaching and supporting the team at the game.

Netball Match

On Tuesday, our school netball team played against Fairfields. The team, captained by Alessia, included Marcus, Keira, Grace, Clara, Keira, Sebastian and Alice. They put up a very tough game for Fairfields, with some brutal defence. Unfortunately, we walked away with 11-5 to Fairfields, but our fierce play and defence meant we could walk away with our heads held high. Well played to the whole team and a huge thank you to Miss Reilly for coaching and supporting the team at the game.



Special visitor to Year 4

Last Friday, Year 4 were visited by Mr Taylor's nan, who spoke to the children about Hinduism, helping them gain a first-hand understanding of how Hindus pray. The children were attentive, respectful, and highly engaged, asking thoughtful questions that deepened their learning and supported them in answering their end-of-unit question. It was a wonderful opportunity to bring their RE learning to life.

Attendance

1st: Year 5 - 94.7%

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3rd: Year 3 - 94.3%

4th: Year 6 - 93.9%

House Points

1st: Sapphire - 1311

2nd: Amber - 1301

3rd: Ruby - 1258

4th: Emerald - 1250

Key dates:

Mon 16th Feb - Fri 20th Feb - HALF TERM - school closed

Mon 23rd Feb - Children back to school

Tues 24th Feb - Year 6 SATs and PGL meeting in the school hall @ 6pm

Tues 3rd Mar - Year 5 PGL meeting @ 6pm in the school hall

Thurs 19th Mar - Hawthorn class assembly @ 9am in the school hall

Fri 20th Mar - Sycamore class assembly @ 9am in the school hall

Fri 27th Mar - Last day of term - 1pm finish

Mon 13th Apr - Children return to school

Fri 1st May - Occasional Day - school closed

Mon 4th May - BANK HOLIDAY - school closed

Mon 25th May - Fri 29th May - HALF TERM - school closed

Mon 1st June - INSET DAY - school closed

Tues 2nd June - Children return back to school

PE DAYS

Year 3 - Monday & Tuesday

Year 4 - Monday & Tuesday

Year 5 - Wednesday & Thursday

Year 6 - Wednesday & Thursday

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